CMS Neglinsurance Coverage

CMS Net User Guide and Reference

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Preface

Legend

In procedures on the following pages you will see various symbols used.

- The check mark indicates the result of an action.
- → When a procedure is described, the arrow indicates a content note.

Insurance Coverage

Steps to Access Insurance Coverage The Insurance Coverage Screen can be accessed either through the Eligibility Menu or through Event Tracking.

From the Eligibility Menu:

Step	Action
1	Start from the Eligibility Menu.
	✓ The Patient Identification screen displays.
2	Identify and select the client.
3	Select the program period.
4	From the Eligibility Menu, select Insurance Coverage.
5	Press <enter>.</enter>
6	✓ The Insurance Coverage screen displays.

From Event Tracking:

Step	Action
1	Start from the Event Tracking.
2	Select Insurance Coverage.
3	Press <enter>.</enter>
	✓ The Patient Identification screen displays.
3	Identify and select the client.
4	✓ The Insurance Coverage screen displays.

Insurance Coverage Screen

The Insurance Coverage Screen holds the private insurance results from the MEDS Inquiry once you have selected to save such information to CMS Net. This screen also allows you to enter private insurance information specific to a client. Once this client becomes "Active" this information is sent to MEDS to be posted on the Health Insurance Segment (HIS) to assist in post payment recovery and cost avoidance.

→ Use the <Down Arrow> to move from field to field.

CMSNET INSURANCE CC	VERAGE CMSELIG-61
Pt Nm: XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	
Pgrm Begin Date 99/99/9999 End 99/99/9999 CC	S Elig Status XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
St1: xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	
Comments: xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	***********
Last Update By: XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	X Date: 99/99/9999

Insurance Coverage Field Descriptions

The following table provides a brief description of the data displayed on the Insurance Coverage screen.

Field Name	Description
(Header)	Display only
	System displays the standard patient header.
Pgrm Begin Date	Display only Program begin date.
	System displays this date from the Pending Eligibility screen.
End	Display only Program end date.
	System displays this date from the Pending Eligibility screen.
CCS Elig Status	Display only
	System displays the client's CCS eligibility status.
Carrier	Required Carrier name.
	When insurance information is either retrieved from HIS or sent to HIS from CMS Net, updates to the Carrier field will not be allowed.
	However, you can add new insurance information and select an insurance carrier from the pick list. If you cannot find the insurance carrier in the pick list, contact the CMS Net Help Desk.
CCode	Display only Carrier code.
	System displays the code associated with the insurance carrier.
Type	Optional Type of Insurance Coverage.
	Select from pick list.
	EPO
	HMO
	PPO
	Indemnity
G.1	Other
St1	Display only Health Insurance Carrier Street 1 Address.
	System displays the first line of the street address associated with the
D 1 //	health insurance carrier.
Pol #	Required Health insurance policy number.
G/2	Enter policy number.
St2	Display only Health Insurance Carrier Street 2 Address.
	System displays the second line of the street address associated with the
	health insurance carrier.

Field Name	Description
Deductible	Optional
	Enter the dollar amount. No commas, periods, or \$ signs allowed.
Max Benefit	Optional Maximum Benefits Amount.
	Enter the dollar amount. No commas, periods, or \$ signs allowed.
Cty	Display only Health Insurance Carrier City.
	System displays the city associated with the health insurance carrier.
St	Display only Health Insurance Carrier State.
	System displays the state associated with the health insurance carrier.
Start	Optional Policy start date.
	Enter the start date for the insurance policy coverage.
	MM/DD/YYYY, MMDDYYYY, or MM-DD-YYYY
Stop	Optional Policy stop date.
	Enter the ending date for the insurance policy coverage.
	MM/DD/YYYY, MMDDYYYY, or MM-DD-YYYY
Zip	Display only Health insurance carrier zip.
	System displays the zip code associated with the health insurance carrier.
Ph#	Display only Health insurance carrier phone number.
	System displays the phone number associated with the health insurance
	carrier.
Scope	Optional Scope of coverage.
	Select the scope of coverage (you can select more than one) for the
	insurance policy from the pick list:
	Dental
	Hospital Inpatient
	Long Term Care
	Medical & Allied Services
	Hospital Outpatient
	Prescription Drugs
	Vision Care

Field Name	Description
Excluded	Optional
Benefits	Select the benefit (you can select more than one) that is not covered by the
	insurance from the pick list
	Brace Repair
	Braces
	Dental
	Glasses Repair
	Hearing Accessories
	Hearing Aids
	Orthodontics
	Other
	Shoes
Last Nm	Required Policy Holder Last Name.
	Enter the policy holder's last name (alphanumeric).
First Nm	Required Policy Holder First Name.
	Enter the policy holder's first name.
M	Optional Policy Holder's Middle Initial.
	Enter the policy holder's middle initial.
Phone #	Optional Policy Holder's Phone Number.
	Enter the policy holder's phone number.
	Acceptable formats include:
	• 111111111
	• (111)111-1111
	• 111-111-1111
	• 111.111.1111
Relationship to	Optional Relationship to Policy Holder.
Pol. Holder	Select from pick list:
	Dependent
	Other
	Self
	Spouse
Comments	Optional
	Enter comments.
Last Update By	Display only
	System displays the last user's name who modified any data.
Date	Display only
	System displays the date of the last change.

Carrier not found in pick list

If the insurance carrier is not found in the pick list, contact the CMS Net Help Desk.

Insurance Records with the same start and end dates are not allowed

The following message appears when you attempt to enter an insurance carrier that already exists for a client with the same carrier name, policy start date, and policy stop date.

Insurance Carrier Plan record already exists in CMS Net, duplicates are not allowed

(?) Press Enter

Policy Start Date Cannot Be Greater than MEDS Future Pending Month

The Start Date on the CMS Net Insurance Coverage Screen cannot be greater than MEDS Future Pending Month. MEDS future pending month is the MEDS current month + 2 months.

Policy Stop Date Cannot Be Greater than MEDS Future Pending Month

The Stop Date on the CMS Net Insurance Coverage Screen cannot be greater than MEDS Future Pending Month. MEDS future pending month is the MEDS current month + 2 months.

Confirmation
Message When
You Add
Insurance
records with
the Same
Carrier Name

Confirmation CMS Net will provide a confirmation message when you *ADD* a new record with the same carrier name but whose start date or stop date differs.

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Insurance Carrier Plan records exist,
but may have different Start/Stop dates.
Do you want to update?
(?) NO
( ) YES
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- ✓ If you type "Y," then CMS Net will save the insurance information.
- ✓ If you type "N," then the insurance information that you entered will be discarded.

Action Menu Commands

The Insurance Coverage Action Menu has three selections:

Command	Action
Save	Save will: Save data on the screen. If the case is "Active" or "Transfer Active" the carrier added will be sent to MEDS to be posted to Health Insurance Segment (HIS) for post payment recovery and/or cost avoidance. The user is taken to the Branch Menu after saving.
Cancel	Cancel will: Return the user to either the Eligibility Menu or Event Tracking depending on how the user entered the Insurance Coverage Screen. The system will NOT save any changes.
Quit	Quit will: Remove the Action Menu and return to the Insurance Coverage screen.

Step	Action
1	Enter the appropriate option.
2	Press <enter>.</enter>

Insurance
Coverage
Branch
Menus

The system will send the user to the Insurance Coverage Branch Menu when Save is selected:

When the user accesses the Insurance Coverage screen from Eligibility, the following Insurance Coverage Branch Menu is displayed after the system saves Insurance Coverage information:

(?)	Narrative for Insurance Coverage
()	Mail Message for Insurance Coverage
()	Eligibility Menu

When the user accesses the Insurance Coverage screen from Event Tracking, the following Insurance Coverage Branch Menu is displayed after the system saves Insurance Coverage information:

(?)	Narrative for Insurance Coverage
()	Mail Message for Insurance Coverage
()	Event Tracking

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